Snow Removal Information

The Jefferson County Highway Division maintains about 663 miles of County roads and is responsible for snow removal on these County roads. It takes about twelve (12) hours for the County Highway Division to clear all the roads of snow after it stops snowing.

The Missouri Department of Transportation (MODOT) maintains all state highways, such as I-55, new Highway 21, Highway 30 and Highway 141 and many local streets and roads are maintained by incorporated cities or subdivision associations.

Safety Reminders

- **REMEMBER**, snow removal equipment always has the “RIGHT OF WAY.” Please do your best to safely yield to snow removal equipment.
- Stay at least one hundred feet (100’) behind all snow removal equipment.
- **NO PARKING** is allowed on any County road or on County right of way.
- Private snow-removal operators may not deposit snow from private roads or driveways on any County maintained road. This includes snow removed from private driveways.

Snow Removal Policy

The County’s main arterial roads are our first priority and will be plowed first. Lemay Ferry Road, Flucum Road and New Sugar Creek Road are just a few roads that are considered main arterial roads. After the main arterials are cleaned, the County will begin cleaning secondary and local roads that are maintained by the County.

The County is prohibited from towing privately owned vehicles that are stranded on or off of County roads. Vehicles must be removed by a towing company.

Jefferson County will not be responsible for replacing a mailbox that is damaged during snow removal operations if the mailbox is not installed according to the guidelines of the U.S. Postal Service or local ordinance.

For information regarding highways maintained by the Missouri Department of Transportation, call 314-340-4100 or 1-888-275-6636.

For a recorded message listing road closings, call 1-800-222-6400 or visit: www.modot.org